

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)	
Clement)	Examiner: Ndubizu, Chuka
James R. Hochstein, Jr. et al.)	
on DETONATIVE CLEANING)	Art Unit: 3749
APPARATUS)	
Serial No.: 10/733,889)	Confirmation No. 1531
Filed: December 11, 2003)	
)	(Our Docket No. 7953-0009)

Hartford, Connecticut, September 2, 2008

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2008, the time for response extending to September 2, 2008 by the accompanying two-month extension of time, August 31, 2008 falling on a Sunday and September 1, 2008 falling on a federal holiday, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS begin on page 2; and
REMARKS begin on page 6.